

In the Matter of	)
Missouri Democratic State Committee, and Rod Anderson, in his official	) AUDIT REFERRAL #05-09 )
capacity as treasurer	MUR# 5697

## **CERTIFICATION**

I, Mary W. Dove, Secretary of the Federal Election Commission, do hereby certify that on January 13, 2006, the Commission decided by a vote of 6-0 to take the following actions in Audit Referral #05-09:

- 1. Open a MUR in AR 05-09.
- 2. Find reason to believe that the Missouri Democratic State Committee, and Rod Anderson, in his official capacity as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. § 441a(a)(1)(C) and 11 C.F.R. § 110.4(c)(3) of the Act by accepting excessive contributions, including excessive anonymous cash contributions.
- 3. Find reason to believe that the Missouri Democratic State Committee, and Rod Anderson, in his official capacity as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. § 441a(a)(1)(C) and 11 C.F.R. § 116.5 by accepting excessive contributions in the form of untimely reimbursed staff advances.
- 4. Find reason to believe the Missouri Democratic State Committee, and Rod Anderson, in his official capacity as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. § 432(c) and 11 C.F.R. § 102.9(b) by failing to keep proper records of its disbursements.

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- 6. Approve as Factual and Legal Analysis the Report of the Audit Division on Missouri Democratic State Committee, dated September 7, 2005, as recommended in the General Counsel's Report dated January 9, 2006.
- 7. Approve the appropriate letters, as recommended in the General Counsel's Report dated January 9, 2006.

Commissioners Lenhard, Mason, Toner, von Spakovsky, Walther, and

Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

Attest:

Secretary of the Commission